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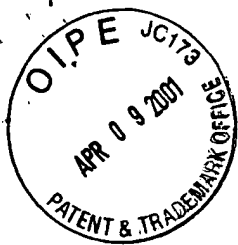
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In the specification:

On page 13, line 24, before "sequence" delete "translated";

On page 13, line 25, after "SEQ ID NO. 18." insert "The translated sequence of this fragment is given by SEQ

ID NO. 19";

On page 14, line 18, after "SEQ ID NO." delete "19" and insert "20";

On page 14, line 18, after "SEQ ID NO.20," insert "corresponding amino acid sequence is given as SEQ ID

NO. 21.";

On page 14, line 20, after "SEQ ID NO." delete "20" and insert "22";

On page 14, line 20, after "(SEQ ID NO. 22)." insert "Corresponding amino acid sequence is given as SEQ ID

NO. 23.";

On page 16, line 14, after "SEQ ID NOs.13-" delete "19" and insert "20";

On page 16, line 26, after ""ID NOs 18 and" delete "19" and insert "20".

In the claims:

In Claim 1, line 3, after "in SEQ ID No." delete "19" and insert "20";

In Claim 1, line 5, after "in SEQ ID No." delete "19" and insert "20";

In Claim 11, line 4, after "in SEQ ID No." delete "19" and insert "20";

In Claim 11, line 5, after "in SEQ ID No." delete "19" and insert "20";

In Claim 14, line 1, after "by SEQ ID No." delete "19" and insert "20";

In Claim 15, line 4, after "by SEQ ID Nos." delete "13-20" and insert "13-18,20,22".